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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed March 23, 2006, rejecting claims 1-14 of the above-referenced Application, Applicants respectfully request that the following remarks be considered. In view of these remarks, Applicants submit that the Application is now in condition for allowance and respectfully request such action.

Status of the Claims begins on Page 2; Remarks begin on Page 5; Conclusion begins on Page 8.